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APRIL 13, 2013
SPECIAL SHOW
EDITION

PUGET SOUND PHOTOGRAPHIC COLLECTOR SOCIETY

WHAT: REGULAR MEETING OF PSPCS

WHERE: DES MOINES MASONIC TEMPLE, 2208 S. 223RD ST (TAKE MIDWAY EXIT OFF I-5, GO TO FIRST STOP LIGHT WEST OF PACIFIC AVE SOUTH, TURN RIGHT UNTIL 223RD, THEN TURN WEST (LEFT). THE TEMPLE IS JUST WEST OF THE FIRE STATION)

WHEN: THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH (EXCEPT JULY & AUGUST). NEXT MEETING IS 4/18/13, 7 - 9 PM (DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM)

WHY: TO SHARE AND ENJOY THE COMPANY OF OTHER WHO ARE INTERESTED IN COLLECTING EVERYTHING PHOTOGRAPHIC

MEETING AGENDA: A SHORT BUSINESS MEETING, SHOW AND TELL; EARN THAT CAMERA; PROGRA; AUCTION (ONE ITEM LOT PER MEMBER) AND THE DOOR PRIZE.

Special points of interest:

- *PSPCS Show History*
- *One year free membership for new members*
- *Show Experience Presentation*



PSPCS Show History

This year we are presenting our 33rd Annual Camera and Photographica Show. It all started when a few like minded photographic collectors got together at a members home back in 1981 to put together the first show at the Highline Community College. One of the members bankroll the shows expenses that first year. It was such a success (and made money) they started to plan for it to be an annual event.

The next year the show was held at Kent Commons. The show grew until the early 90's when we grew out of Kent. The show moved to the Pavilion at the Puyallup Fair grounds. As with everything in life other things came around (the likes of eBay,

Craigslist, etc.) and the show started to shrink. It was decided to move the show back to Kent Commons in 2011 for a more intimate setting.

The largest one day Camera Sale, Swap and Show in the Western United States will be held on Saturday April 13, 2013 from 10 am to 4 pm at Kent Commons Recreation Center - 525 Fourth Ave N., Kent, Washington.

140 tables of digital, antique, usable and collectable photographica, including early images, will be offered by collectors from Washington, California, Oregon, Nevada, Idaho, Montana, Alaska and British Columbia.



Some of the items from our 2012 PSPCS show



Presents:

The Second Annual
Seattle-Tacoma
**CAMERA AND
PHOTOGRAPHICA
SHOW**

KENT COMMONS

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New Member—First Year Free

Puget Sound Photographic Collectors Society, Inc., organized in 1979, is a non-profit organization of camera enthusiasts dedicated to collecting and preserving the photographica of our past. Our member encourage appreciation of our photographic heritage.

If you are interested in photographica and have an itch to learn more or want to share your experiences come join us at one of our meetings and receive your first year membership free.

For additional information check our website: www.PSPCS.org

Email: shutterf64@yahoo.com for more information.



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Membership Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

2013 Show Experience Presentation

Collecting Images

Rick Soloway

Presentation on collecting images by category. Rather than just acquiring "old" photographs of men with moustaches and women in black dresses, finding certain topics to specialize in adds a certain fun and interest to image collecting. He will be discussing

collecting photographs by technique as well, showing how knowing when certain techniques were used helps date the origin of a photo. Daguerreotypes? Cartes des Visites? Albumen prints? Cabinet cards? Velox and Azo prints? Bromide prints? He will be showing images from his topical collections like mili-

taria, musicians, Native Americans, performers, kids with toys, aviation, people in costumes, and more.

To see photos from his collection by category you can visit <http://www.flickr.com/photos/ricksoloway/sets/>

Where: April 12, 2013; 7 PM in the Mill Creek room at Kent Commons

Contact Information

The Bellows Newsletter is published 10 times per year by the Puget Sound Photographic Collectors Society, Inc. (When we have new Editor)

Information for the Bellows should be sent to: pspcsociety@gmail.com

The PSPCS internet address is <http://www.pspcs.org>

Dues are \$20.00 per year and should be sent to Treasurer Shirley Sparrow, 300 Pease Road Cle Elum, WA. 98922. (509) 674-1916,

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